

REMARKS

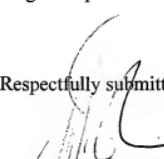
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed December 18, 2007,
Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-53 without traverse. Applicants believe that
claims 1-53 are readable on the elected Group.

In view of Applicants' election, an early and favorable action on the
merits is earnestly solicited. To expedite prosecution of this application to allowance, the
Examiner is invited to call the Applicants' undersigned representative to discuss any
issues relating to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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